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Council Appropriates \$50,000 For Recreation Center

Kraft Presides At Hearings On Health Insurance

Arguments Pro And Con Aired Before Committee

Assemblyman Fred H. Kraft of Ocean Beach was in Los Angeles Thursday (yesterday) conducting the second of a series of public hearings on proposed bills calling for state health insurance. He is chairman of the state legislature committee before which no less than 20 bills on the subject are to be brought. Kraft and his committee began the series of hearings in San Diego Tuesday at the Civic Center, with a large and keenly interested group in attendance, and taking part in the discussions. Representatives of the medical profession, of labor and industry and of the churches attended.

Commenting Wednesday, Kraft said that "we hope that as a result of our committee's hearings the best points of all these bills may be combined into a measure acceptable to the majority of the people of the state."

Of the 20 bills, 13 were introduced in the Assembly, and of these the two that attracted most attention were Bill No. 800 introduced by Gov. Earl Warren and Bill No. 449, strongly backed by the C. I. O. Both of these call for payment of 1 1/2 percent of their wages by workers and 1 1/2 percent by employers, with which to provide the funds proposed for administration of the measure.

Numerous arguments pro and con were advanced at the hearings.

After Los Angeles, the committee will hold hearings at Fresno, Watsonville, and San Francisco before the final hearing at Sacramento.

High School To Give Play, "Little Women," Mar. 1-2

"Little Women," the delightful four-act comedy dramatized by Marion de Forest from the famous and beloved Louise Mae Alcott story, will be presented March 1 and 2 by Point Loma high school drama department. Friends and parents are cordially invited to secure tickets from any member of the cast for this performance in the Point Loma high auditorium. The Point Loma band, girls vocal ensemble, and mixed chorus will offer appropriate music during the evening.

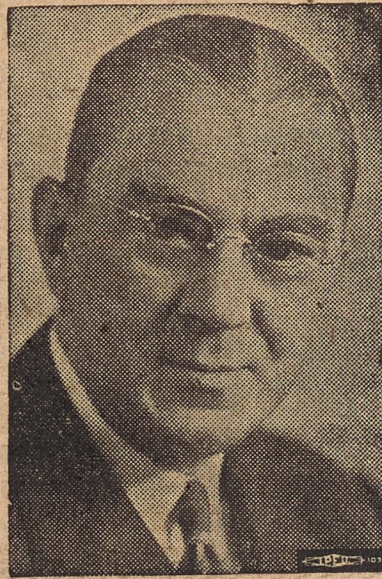
Stage Class Does Set
From the stage design class the sets for the play are now in final construction. Act IV set, an autumn scene in a garden, has been designed by Jim Hiltz and Jean Pippin. Other members of the class are constructing and painting the accessories which complete the set.

Appropriate Programs
In keeping with the mood of the play the program cover is being designed by Eileen Eulberg, art student, while all printing is done in the school print shop. Ticket sale will open today, with Eveline Barclay, Betty Schumacher, and Susie Gerhauser in charge of all business.

Cast Announced
Members of the cast now in final rehearsals include Joan Hollobaugh, Mary Rimell, Ruth Kuhl, Claire Jones, Vesta Roberts, Helen Williams, Anne Carmody, Jay Timmons, Jon Kowal, Marilyn Broiles, Jim Wiesler and Tom Brogan. Student director is Bill Sharpe.

Dr. Fred P. Dennis, local dentist with offices in the Kraft building, underwent a severe hernia operation at Mercy hospital Tuesday morning. Mrs. Dennis reports that he was slightly improved Wednesday night, but indications are that he will be at the hospital and at home for several weeks before he can again open and conduct his dentist office. He was home in bed for two weeks before going to the hospital, she says.

HEADS HEARINGS ON BILLS



Assemblyman Fred H. Kraft

OCEAN BEACH MAN NAMED SECRETARY-TREASURER OF SAN DIEGO ARCHERY CLUB

Joe W. Herbert of Ocean Beach was elected secretary-treasurer of the San Diego Archery club at their annual dinner meeting, held Thursday last week at the San Diego club. Wally Eiter was elected president. Joe reports that the club has eight members in Ocean Beach and that considerable interest is being taken here in this activity.

Tournament dates were set at the meeting. The Aztec tournament, a handicap event, is scheduled for the second Sunday in March and the Jessop trophy tournament, the annual county championship for the second Sunday in April. The Carter trophy, for the most improved archer of the year, will be awarded at the Jessop event.

Firing in the second bi-monthly mail shoot began Sunday on the Balboa Park range. This shoot is sponsored by the Southern California association.

Local Store Robbed Feb. 11; Man Of 32 Confesses To Theft

The recently opened Sunset Cliffs grocery, operated by G. W. Libhart, was broken into and robbed of about \$35 worth of merchandise late Sunday evening, Ocean Beach police report. Officers from the local station had a man by the name of Geo. Truman Norbeth, 32, under arrest by 11:45 the same evening, having found him lying in the bushes in the 1000 block on Devonshire Dr. Norbeth later confessed to the charge, they report. They found all the stolen property in his possession, Acting Desk Sgt. L. G. Chauvaud reports.

Included in the list of goods taken were 1212 blue ration stamps and red tokens, 43 packages of smoking tobacco and cigarette papers, an alarm clock, an adding machine and 376 pennies. Entrance to the place was effected by breaking the glass in the front door and by reaching in and unlocking the door. Norbeth was bound over to the superior court and his bail set at \$1000, the officers report.

Cub Pack 328 To Observe Boy Scouts Anniversary Feb. 22

Plans for a pot-luck dinner to celebrate the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America, the dinner to be held at Wallace Hall, in Ocean Beach, Thursday evening, Feb. 22, starting at 6 o'clock, were made at the Cub Pack, 328 February committee meeting, held Feb. 8 at the Ocean Beach school auditorium. For this dinner Cub Pack 328 has invited the Boy Scouts of Troop 28 to be their guests. Parents and near relatives of the 'Cubs' also are invited to attend.

Fred J. Tucker of Ocean Beach, scout assistant district commissioner, spoke on "Cub Master's Duties and Cubbing," at the Feb. 8 meeting. Stanley Tobin, scout field executive, was the guest speaker, and talked on "Cubbing." O. F. Conklin, committee man, spoke especially to the parents on "Helping the Den Mothers With Refreshments."

Institute For Home Planners Proposed Here

Kiwanis Club Hears Adults School Explained

A 'Home Planners Institute' for Ocean Beach was proposed by E. W. Meise, superintendent of domestic electrical sales for the San Diego Gas & Electric Co. to the Kiwanis club at the meeting of Tuesday evening. He also spoke on the new improved electrical devices most likely to be available to homes here in the not distant post-war period.

The institute runs once a week for ten weeks, with experts from each industry representing all the various items that go into the purchase, building and equipping of both new and remodeled homes, giving the lectures, Meise stated. The instruction and advice given, much of it of a professional character, is free to those attending the institute, he said. Among the subjects handled are:

"Why plan now? selecting your homestead, building laws, designing your house, protecting your investment, planning a modern kitchen, financing the home, landscaping and outdoor living, building materials, insulating and weather conditioning, heating and ventilating, plumbing installation and fixtures, post-war home appliances, lighting, better wiring for better living, home furnishings, and color in the home and in interior decoration."

Meise suggested that Monday evening was now open and could be obtained by Ocean Beach for the 10 evenings. This institute is really a school for adults and is put on with the cooperation of the adult education set-up of the public schools, he said.

The speaker prefaced his remarks with a peek into the future of improved electrical appliances, predicting that after the war we shall soon see frequency modulation for radios, television, the walkie-talkie, the radio recordio for recording the voice, the electric blanket for the bed, new refrigeration units for the home, and the electrostatic air cleaner.

Home building, he said, should go a long way toward providing the jobs necessary for the 80 percent of new resident workers in San Diego who have indicated that they would like to remain in this area after the war. The late Walter Cooper, city manager, had estimated that 15,000 new homes would be needed in the immediate post-war period in San Diego.

100 Percent in January
President Jerry Sullivan announced that the Kiwanians had attained a perfect 100 percent attendance for the meeting in January.

Harry Polan and Richard Hilmen were inducted as new members by Past President Milt Lancaster, and they were introduced to the club by Marc Strauss and Earl Shaw, respectively.

Roy Plummer and John Darwin, both of Ocean Beach, were guests at the meeting, of Harry Masters.

Rev. James Roberts reported on the appropriation by the city council Tuesday of \$50,000 for the proposed Ocean Beach recreation center and Martin Murphy announced the Boy Scout "Court of Honor" to be held tonight (Friday) at 7:15 at Sacred Heart Catholic church.

MOTHER OF ROY BRAZELL DIES AT NEWCASTLE, WYO. AT ADVANCED AGE OF 96

Roy Brazell of 1054 Devonshire Dr. was called to Newcastle, Wyo. last week by the critical illness of his mother. He arrived there in time to see her before she died on Friday, Feb. 9. The funeral was held Sunday. After attending to business matters there Roy is expected home the latter part of this week. His mother had visited in Ocean Beach.

BROTHER OF H. MASTERS REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION SINCE JAN. 20

Lieut. Frank R. Masters, 21, brother of Harry Masters of the local Safeway Store, has been missing in action over Germany since Jan. 20, according to a wire Harry received Tuesday from their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Masters Sr., of Newcastle, Pa. Pilot of a Mustang P-51, Lieut. Masters had flown at least 55 missions at last word from him. He has been overseas since October 1944 and has been cited several times for distinguished service in action.

Chas. A. King Cited For U. S. Civilian Service In London

"For unstinted cooperation and devotion to duty," Charles A. King of 5067 Niagara Ave., Ocean Beach, assistant Chief Clerk, office of Naval Attache, American Embassy, London, is one of two U. S. civilians who recently received the Meritorious Civilian Service Award from Rear Admiral G. B. Wilson, U.S.N., chief of staff, commander, U. S. Naval Forces in Europe.

King, a retired Navy man with 20 years' service, performed his duties with a small civilian staff during the height of the Battle of Britain and the London blitz. Eleventh Naval District officials reported.

Throughout 1940 enemy air attacks on London he stood night watches to guard highly secret documents. These watches were subsequently turned over to Navy enlisted personnel on their arrival in England.

A specification accompanying the award reveals he was of valuable assistance to the chief clerk in handling the administration of a steadily expanding number of civilian personnel for this command from 1942 until the present time.

King was retired from the Navy in 1937 as chief yeoman and has been in the office of the Naval Attache in London since 1939. His son, Robert P. King, Chief Fire Controlman, U.S.N., is serving on the U.S.S. Amsterdam. His wife, Mrs. Marjorie Violet King, is with him in London.

Ralph M. Robins Reported Missing In Action January 23

Pvt. Ralph M. Robins, 21, of Ocean Beach, husband of Mrs. Margaret Robins of 4975 Del Monte Ave., is reported missing in action in France since January 23, according to a message that came to Mrs. Robins from the war department on Tuesday.

Last word received from him was a letter written Dec. 29 at the port of embarkation on the east coast, and it is presumed that he had left for overseas about that time. He had been home for four days early in December and had left here Dec. 8 for the east coast.

Previous to entering the infantry, Ralph had trained with an anti-aircraft unit.

He has two brothers in the service, James B. Robins of the army air corps, stationed on the western front in Europe, and Arthur M. Robins of the Navy, now on duty in the South Pacific.

His wife is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lojole of 4975 Del Monte.

Boy Breaks Leg Handy To Clinic In Ocean Beach

Gary Renkeit, 6, of 5130 Brighton Ave., had both bad and good luck at 2 p. m. Friday when he suffered a broken left leg as result of being struck down by a car driven by Marjorie W. Lynds, 24, of Mission Beach, investigating traffic officers reported. The only good luck about the accident was that it happened right near the Sand-Oster Clinic at Santa Monica Ave. and Cable St., where his injuries were taken care of immediately.

Pointers Win One Game, Lose One In Basketball League

Trounce Sweetwater, 25 to 19; Lose To Hoover 43-13

Point Loma's Pointers broke even in games of basketball played in the Victory league Friday and Tuesday. They trounced Sweetwater high school on the latter's court Tuesday by a score of 25 to 19, and on the Friday previous lost to the league leading Hooverites 43 to 13.

At Sweetwater, Don Larson, forward, led the Pointers in the scoring with a total of 8 points. Bill Stone, forward, accounted for 6 points, Center Jay Timmons scored 5, Guards Silva and Medina each scored 2 points and Substitute St. John 2. Sweetwater won the class C game from Point Loma 20 to 17, and also the class C game 11 to 10. Sweetwater had previously, on Friday, upset the dope sheet by downing Grossmont high by a score of 28 to 23.

Outclassed at Hoover
In the Friday night game on the Hoover floor, the Pointers were outclassed by the league leading Cardinals, Center Barnes of their team being high scorer, with 14 points. Timmons and Silva each scored 4 for Point Loma, Medina and Larsen each 3 and St. John 1 point.

In other league games Tuesday, Hoover beat Kearney 68 to 14, LaJolla won from Vocational 62 to 42, and San Diego High from Grossmont by a score of 28 to 16.

Other league games Friday resulted in a Coronado victory over Kearney 49 to 22 and San Diego High halloped Vocational 48 to 18.

Hoover has won all its games in the Victory league thus far and San Diego and Coronado are tied for second place, each with six games in the bag and only one defeat. The Pointers are in fourth place, having won four games and lost three this season.

Coronado will essay the tough assignment Friday night this week of trying to stop Hoover, the game to be played on the Islanders court. San Diego High's only defeat this season thus far was to Hoover's Cardinals and by a close margin.

For individual scoring honors in the league, Hoover's Barnes tops the list, with a total of 115 points in the season to date. Melton of Coronado is second, with 60 points and Jay Timmons of Point Loma is in third place, with a total of 54 points.

FAYE EMERSON'S FIND IN WASHINGTON, D. C. CLICKS AT HOLLYWOOD

While Faye Emerson, Warner star, was back in Washington, D. C., with her hubby, Col. (now brigadier general) Elliot Roosevelt, they happened to have breakfast one morning in the coffee shop of the Mayfair hotel. . . . and it was there that Faye was impressed by the beauty and poise of the coffee shop's hostess. . . .

On leaving the place, Faye told the girl that if she ever came to Hollywood to look her up at the Warner studio. . . . and the girl—her name is Mary Maynard—did just that—and the studio tested her, signed her to a contract. . . . In other words, Faye's find clicked. The studio will change her last name before assigning her to a picture.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MARY TITUS HELD WEDNESDAY

Last rites for Mrs. Mary Alice Titus, 87, of 4811 Long Branch Ave., Ocean Beach, were held Wednesday at the mortuary of Bonham Bros. Rev. Hildred Langford officiated and interment was in Greenwood Memorial Park. A native of Plymouth, Ind., she had lived here for five years. Bereft are a daughter, Mrs. Jessie C. Auterson of Ocean Beach, and a grandson, Francis Auterson, living at Portland.

COAST GUARDSMAN LOSES WALLET CONTAINING \$850; ALSO SEVERELY MAULED

Loss of a wallet containing \$850 and a mauled head and face that required 40 stitches to close was the tough experience that came to Hugh F. Keller, 27, coast guardsman from Lindbergh field early Friday morning. He also was robbed of \$300 worth of checks, he told the police. Officer J. D. Long found him at a ditch about a quarter miles west of Midway Dr., on West Point Loma Blvd. Keller's face and clothing were covered with blood when he was taken to the police emergency hospital. He said he had been with a party of two men and three women earlier in the night, that the party had been drinking and that his memory was largely a blank regarding what happened after he left with them in a car, except he said they had run out of gas and that he had left the car with the object of getting gas for them.

IN THE SERVICE



News from our local boys in service as well as letters or excerpts of letters will be gladly published in this newspaper. Please bring them in for many service men receive the Ocean Beach News by mail weekly and are glad to hear of friends in the Armed forces.

Pfc. Harold L. Brand of 4557 Narragansett Ave., has been promoted to corporal at Salthas Army airbase, according to news received here this week.

Avery Claud Phillips, S 1/c, of 1626 Cable St., member of a coast guard crew, has recently returned home on leave after two years of convoy and other sea duty in the Pacific.

Bill Andre BMI/c, after a period of duty at Alameda, Calif., has returned to his duty with the Navy overseas, according to word received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lajoie of 4975 Del Monte Ave.

R. M. Lommasson of 4983 Brighton Ave., has graduated from the Hondo, Texas army air field school and received his wings and a second lieutenant's commission in the Army air forces. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Lommasson of the same address.

S/Sgt. Jack Conger of 2269 Ebers st. recently graduated from instructors gunnery school at Laredo, Texas, and is now an instructor at gunnery school in Las Vegas. Jack has served six months overseas, completing 65 missions. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Williams and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hornung.

Alice C. Munchiando S 1/c, has written her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Munchiando, 4681 Green street that she has arrived overseas, that she enjoyed the trip over immensely and that she is enjoying her new surroundings and work and that the WAVES are being royally received where she is stationed.

C. O. Johnson A. M. M. 3/c, now stationed at the air base in Pasco, Wash., returned Sunday after a 10-day emergency leave for the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs. Marie E. Johnson, a former Ocean Beach resident. While home on this sad mission, Johnson visited with his sister, Mrs. Irene Nevitt of 4930 Colingswood Drive, Pacific Beach and Mrs. C. F. Dandois of Ocean-side.

John E. Cochran, U.S.N.R., spent the week-end at his home here with his wife and daughter, Sandra Sue, at 5081 Long Branch Ave. and has returned to his duty at Inyokern in the Mojave desert. While here a dinner was held in his honor Sunday, at which a special guest was his

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Ordinance Passed Unanimously At Tuesday Session

Next Step Should Be To Call For Bids Says Roberts

Sect. 1—An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$50,000 or so much thereof as maybe necessary is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the unappropriated balance fund of the city of San Diego, for the purpose only and exclusively of providing funds for the construction of a recreation building on a portion of Block 31 of Ocean Beach in the city of San Diego.

"Sect. 2—This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the 31st day from and after its passage."

The above mentioned ordinance was passed unanimously by the San Diego city council at their regular meeting of Tuesday this week. Mayor Harley Knox, who was hospitalized for about two months following his narrow escape from death in an airplane crash Dec. 1, was again at his post as presiding officer of the council session.

Chairman J. F. Roberts and Mrs. D. C. Muchmore of the community-civic committee were called in for the council session and were there when it was passed. Commenting on the matter, Rev. Roberts stated to The News that "We got all we asked for, and the \$50,000 is in addition to the \$7,000 already contributed by Ocean Beach citizens."

He was given to understand that the call for bids will be the next main step and that construction will start in the near future.

Going into some detail regarding the plans for the building Rev. Roberts stated that the \$50,000 is expected to take care of the cost of the main unit of the building, the size to start to be 109 by 52 feet and when finally completed will be 109 by 130 feet.

The main room, he said, for the auditorium will be 56 by 52 feet; and will be used for community meetings for dances, basketball, ping pong, etc. There will be four smaller rooms for the meetings of such groups as the Boy Scouts, the Girl Scouts, the Cubs and the Brownies. These rooms will have folding door partitions so they can be thrown together into one banquet room large enough to seat 300. A large kitchen adjacent will be modern in every respect.

There will be a large lounge for young adults, a place where the mothers can relax while waiting for their children at play or at meetings in other parts of the building. Several lavatories for certain age levels are included in the plans.

The rear wall of the auditorium will be of temporary construction in order that when the plans for expansion arrive, it will cost less money to 'tear out' the wall and add the permanent reinforced steel concrete.

"It will be the finest Recreation Center in San Diego," says Rev. Roberts.

Dana Students Name Officers For Second Semester

Students at Dana Junior High elected new officers for the spring semester last Friday. The following were named to serve their school:

President, Ivalou Manning; vice president, L. C. Howell; secretary, Claudia Stevenson; treasurer, Ninette Miller.

Each home room recently elected a new home room president to represent his or her room on the student council. The council meets every other Thursday to conduct the student affairs of the school.

CITY ORDERS NEW STREET LIGHT FOR NEWPORT AVE.

The city council has ordered a new street light installed at the upper end of Newport Ave., to be placed at its intersection with Venice St.

CARL SCHRODER



Schroder Dubbed First In Hearts Of San Diegans

"First" For San Diego

The fact that Washington's birthday is February 22, this week reminded the campaign committee of Carl Schroder, Ocean Beach pioneer who is a city council candidate, of what was said of George Washington. It was written of the first president, that he was: "First in War, First in Peace, and First in the hearts of his countrymen."

The Schroder-for-Council committee issued a statement in which Schroder was characterized as, "First in the hearts of San Diegans," because of this modern pioneer's "unswerving loyalty to all things pertaining to the betterment and future growth of San Diego."

"First For San Diegans"

A recent meeting of the Mission Bay Chamber of Commerce of which Schroder was recently re-elected president, and at which more than a score of members were present, unanimously endorsed his candidacy in a resolution which stated in part that "Schroder has perhaps done more throughout the years to promote and advocate improvements for the great Ocean Beach, Mission Beach and La Jolla beach areas than any other one San Diegan."

City-wide Committee

Schroder-for-council committees have recently been formed in Ocean Beach, Mission Beach and La Jolla. Anticipating his nomination at the primaries, which means that voters throughout all of San Diego will help pick four councilmen to handle the governmental affairs of a great and growing city during the next four years, a Schroder-for-council committee has been formed in Old San Diego and also in Northeastern San Diego where Schroder's untiring efforts for better streets, highways and drainage has been recognized for many years.

As president of Highway 80 Chamber of Commerce and some years ago as president of an organizer of the Council of Chambers of Commerce and Civic Clubs, Schroder has persistently advocated the completion of a better-grade east-west highway in San Diego county to Imperial Valley and points east.

Fishing Pier

He was the moving force behind the big ocean fishing pier project on the beach area, work on which was begun before the war and only waits eventual completion following the war. San Diego fish and game association, numbering hundreds of sportsmen as members and which has done so much to develop sports areas in the county, was originally organized and started by Schroder with the help of other enthusiasts. A retired sporting goods store dealer, and known as one of the crack rifle shots in California, Schroder realizes the value of development of the fishing and sporting areas of San Diego county as tourist attractions.

—Pol. Adv. Pd. by Friends.

GOD IS MY CO-PILOT

By COL. ROBERT L. SCOTT
WNU Features.

CONT. FROM LAST WEEK

SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I: Scott's early experiences with gliders and airplanes. He goes to Ft. McPherson and enlists in the regular army as a private.

CHAPTER II: Scott wins the West Point competitive exam and gets a furlough before reporting. He is graduated as a second lieutenant of infantry and goes to Europe, where he tours on a motorcycle. He sells his motorcycle and army car at Randolph Field, Texas.

CHAPTER III: Scott makes his first solo flight. Drives 1,300 miles to Georgia over every week-end to see his girl. Scott is now graduated from Kelly Field and has wings pinned on his chest. Ordered to report to Hawaii but wanting to get married he lays his plight before the General and is ordered to report at Mitchell Field, N. Y., instead.

CHAPTER IV: En route to New York Scott is stopped by police who mistake him for a bandit. He carries the mail for Uncle Sam in order to gain more flying time, and gets married.

CHAPTER V: The war edges closer and he is farther than ever from combat duty. He has been told he is too old for combat flying, and after December 7, 1941, he begins writing Generals all over the country for a chance to fly a fighter plane.

CHAPTER VI: Scott solos a Flying Fortress for the first time and makes twenty practice landings. He leaves for India from a Florida port.

CHAPTER VII: Easter Sunday in Africa. They fly along the Arabian coast and land at Karachi, India, covering 12,000 miles in eight days.

Even with the hardships we enjoyed the assignment—for after all, Burma was just over the Naga Hills and they said a war was going on over there. Down in his heart, each man really wanted to do something to stop the Japs from their rapid movement to the North through Burma. But we had no fighters and no bombers. I often heard of plots among the crewmen for going back to Karachi and stealing the thirteen four-engined bombers, but of course they were just soldier rumors. The small amount of good that we figured we were doing by flying ammunition, aviation gasoline, and bombs to the AVG was barely enough to keep our morale above the sinking point. Personally I made a trip almost every day over into Lashio and Loiwing, and some days I went on farther East to Kunming, China.

One day, the last of April, two Chinese pilots landed with two P-43A's. These were good, fast-climbing little fighter ships, the forerunner of the "Thunderbolts." But their fuel tanks had developed leaks, and when you added to that the fact that the turbo was underneath the rear of the fuselage, the greatest fire hazard in the world was born. So far had their ill fame spread that the ships were grounded until the faults could be remedied. So the Chinese left the P-43A's with us and went on back to China. Colonel Haynes and I fell heir to the two little fighters.

Sergeant Bommer worked diligently with everything from chewing gum to cement and finally repaired the leaks, at least to a point where they didn't catch fire right away on the take-off, as some of them had done. I took one of these ships and decided to use it to protect the ferry route. Even one lone fighter that could fire back at the Japs would be a good morale element for the crews of the unarmed transports.

The job of being a ferry pilot had to go on nevertheless. As the leaks developed again in the tanks of the P-43's, I went back to flying the Douglas transports into Burma and China. One day while I was acting as co-pilot for Colonel Haynes, we loaded two disassembled Ryan Trainers in the C-47 and headed for Kunming. Besides this cargo we had some ammunition and food for the AVG at Loiwing, especially a bottle of Scotch whiskey to be left as a present for General Chennault.

We landed at Loiwing and delivered the designated cargo. The air raid alert came just as we were talking with the General. He didn't even change expression, but calmly said, "Guess we're going to have some Japs—you all had better get those transports off the field." The Flying Tigers were already taking off, their shark-painted noses gleaming in the sun. Lord, but my mouth watered as I saw them—I'd have given anything to trade my Colonel's eagles and that "delivery wagon" that I flew for the gold bars of a second Lieutenant and one of those shark-nosed pieces of dynamite!

But we started the Douglas up and took off for China with the cargo of trainers. Even as we cleared the field and climbed towards the Salween, I heard the call "Tally-Ho" from the AVG, and then others more like "Here come the sons of bitches." A few seconds later the Jap bombers arrived over the field at Loiwing and we knew all the transports couldn't have gotten off. The AVG radio man, "Micky" Mikhailo, called, "They're bombing hell out of the field." Then, in lighter

vein, he said the Japs were falling like leaves—or he hoped they were Japs, for he could see many smokes from burning planes. Every now and then we could hear one of the AVG say to some unlucky Jap, "Your mother was a turtle—your father was a snake."—and then the rattle of fifty-caliber guns over the radio.

We stayed low in the gorge of the Salween until we got to the old bridge near Paoshan, then turned East for Yunnan. Behind us the Japs damaged the tail of one of our transports with a bomb, and also blew up the bottle of Scotch that I had brought General Chennault—it had been left in one of the jeeps that was hit. But they had paid heavily for the transport tail and the quart of whiskey. I believe that even the Woman's Christian Temperance Union would have approved of the trade—for the AVG had shot down thirteen of the Zeros and bombers, while as usual they lost none.

At Kunming, with the surprised Chinese looking on, we unloaded the two small training planes from the fuselage of the big Douglas. Then, after something to eat, when I had just about arranged with the AVG squadron commander to go along with them on the morning raid into Indo-China, we received a radio-gram that changed all plans.

Colonel Haynes and I were ordered to leave immediately for Shwebo, Burma, down on the Mandalay-Rangoon Railway, and evacuate the staff of General Stilwell. It seemed that the Japs had crossed another place on the Irrawaddy and were about to capture the entire American Military Mission to China—the Ammisa. We didn't even know whether or not there was a landing field in Shwebo, but I found it on a map and in the late afternoon we took off for lower Burma.

We flew through black storms all the way to the Mekong; then, turning South, we found better weather, even if we were getting into Japanese-controlled skies. We landed at Myitkyina and while servicing (so that we would have plenty of fuel to take General Stilwell anywhere he wanted to go), we learned from a British pilot that we would find a small field to the Southeast of the town that was our destination.

Flying as low as we could without hitting the tops of the jungle trees, we followed the Myitkyina-Mandalay railroad to the South. We knew that all the British had evacuated the area about Shwebo except for a small detachment left with the wounded; so we were expecting trouble. I know that neither of us had ever before been so careful at watching the skies. I had my ever-ready movie camera right by my side, but in the excitement I forgot to take pictures as we flew over the burning towns of central Burma. Long afterwards, Colonel Haynes told everyone that I had missed the best pictures in the world, but I imagine he would have dumped me out of the ship if I had raised that movie camera instead of diligently watching the skies.

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friend, Albert Lauer, U.S.N.R. The latter, who is stationed at North Island, recently returned from duty with the Navy at the New Hebrides Islands in the Pacific.

Clarence L. FitzGerald, 39, of 4666 Voltaire St., an aviation chief metalsmith, has been commended by his commanding officer in recognition of meritorious service and devotion to duty, the 11th Naval District headquarters reported Wednesday. He has served two years as a member of aircraft carrier crew, which from March to November 1944, was in continuous combat operations against the enemy.

First Lieut. Richard S. Nielsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Nielsen of 4581 Granger St., who is home from the convalescent hospital at Spokane, Wash., has been transferred to the re-distribution center of the Army Air Forces at Santa Ana for re-assignment to duty. Holder of the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf clusters, the Purple Heart and the Silver Star, Lt. Nielsen has been in the U. S. since last July from his combat

missions in Italy. He was wounded severely in one leg.

Fifth Air Force, Southwest Pacific—A line chief with the Jolly Rogers, is Master Sergeant William B. Haggerty, husband of Mrs. Loretta Marjorie Haggerty, 4935 Brighton Ave., Ocean Beach. Sgt. Haggerty was first an aircraft mechanic then crew chief, flight chief and line chief. His duties include the supervision of all mechanical repair and inspection of the Jolly Roger Liberators and his job is considered one of the most responsible of ground crew personnel. He was once recommended for the Legion of Merit and presented a wrist watch by Lieut. General George C. Kenney of the Far Eastern Air Forces for outstanding performance of duty.

Before entering the service six years ago, he was employed as an auto mechanic and salesman. Haggerty has been in the Southwest Pacific for over two years.

WHAT'S BUZZIN'!

By CHERIE.

Side-Glances!

Dorothy and Lee Woodley have bought an interest in Nelson's Clothing store in Hemet, Calif., and are leaving soon. We'll miss you, folks!

No one can deny the Republicans lost the election, but from all appearances, Fred Kraft is gaining "weight!"

Mrs. Gordon Kelly is all smiles these days! And why not? Her son, Robert Litten, is on 30 days leave from the Navy!

Eric and Lee Wilson have rented the home in the rear of Veda Moss Shop. Jean Cunningham, who formerly lived there, is now across the street.

Didja know that Lorraine Montana is an accomplished pianist? And while we're on the keys, Nedra Polan does alright by ear.

Bud Luse pays us a visit whenever the gas situation will allow. Their heart still belongs to Ocean Beach!

It is rumored that Lloyd Stuckey Jr., and family have bought the U. S. Grant home.

We're happy to see Hunt & Johnson open again. Alterations are not completed as yet, due to

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What ever became of Coral Davis?

And Winchell tells us that Faye and Elliot Roosevelt are expecting an heir. (Faye Emerson, formerly of Ocean Beach.)

Little Karen Gerhardt had herself a time at her second "boifday pawty" recently!

Speaking of "prize winning" children, blue ribbons should go to little "Butch" Murphy and Brian Moffatt. Why should boys always have the curly hair?

The Strausses did a bit of entertaining. Mrs. Ben W. Henderson of Hollywood spent the week with them, and luncheons at Holiday House and Casa de Manana in La Jolla, Hotel Del Coronado, and El Cortez were among the high spots of the week's gayety.

The Non-Coms are presenting a dance February 23 to be held at the Mission Beach community house. Kay Cee Rhythm Masters will roll out the swing music.

Book Gossip—

Phil Stong, who wrote "State Fair" long ago in 1932, had written 12 unpublished novels before he clicked with the above mentioned novel. He has been going strong ever since. . . M. G. M. will make Green Dolphin Street.

Linda Darnell is now slated for the screen role of Ellen in "Leave Her to Heaven," to be produced by 20th Century Fox. . . Gary Cooper may play the role of Marcellus in the picture version of "The Robe." . . Movie production of Hotel Berlin '43 will star Faye Emerson in the role of Lisa. . . Samuel Goldwyn paid \$100,000 for the screen rights to Earth & High Heaven by Gwethalyn Graham.

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Property Taxes In County This Year, \$10,531,337

Increase Of \$700,000 Over Last Year Reported

Property taxes levied by San Diego county and the school and special districts in the county total \$10,531,337 for 1944-45, California Taxpayers' association stated today. For 1943-44, these same local governments in the county levied \$9,835,915 in property taxes. City tax levies are not included.

County property tax levy for this year amounts to \$5,265,441, compared with \$5,033,558 levied for 1943-44, the association found.

School district taxes levied total \$5,202,955 for 1944-45, compared with \$4,754,953 for 1943-44.

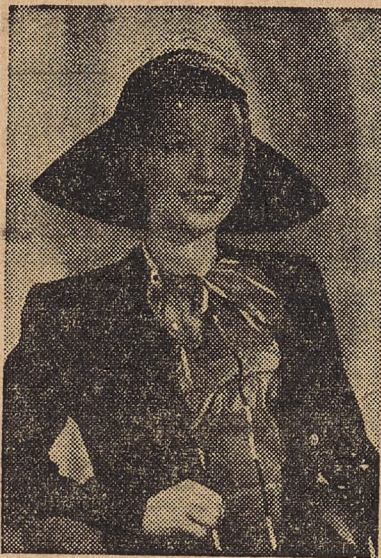
Special district tax levies total \$62,941 for 1944-45 compared with \$42,404 for last year.

Over the state as a whole, property taxes levied for the counties and school and special districts total \$264,916,129 for 1944-45, compared with \$244,577,719 for 1943-44. County tax levies total \$123,122,854 for this year, compared with \$118,205,843 for 1943-44. School district taxes levied total \$119,110,226 for 1944-45, compared with \$104,262,937 for 1943-44. Special district tax levies amount to \$22,683,049 this year and to \$22,108,939 for 1943-44.

"The counties and elementary school districts for both 1943-44 and 1944-45 have received increased subventions from the state," the association pointed out. "The state has taken over half the amount the counties contributed to old age aid prior to 1943-44 and the elementary school districts for 1943-44 and 1944-45 had a 10 per cent increase, from \$60 to \$66 per pupil, in the amount of state apportionment to them. A further increase in state aid to elementary schools will come for 1945-46 and the years following as a result of the passage of Proposition No. 9 at the November, 1944, election."

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Taffeta Blouse



The blouse worn with this stunning black wool two-piece is made of plaid taffeta than which there is nothing smarter. The styling of this blouse points out the fact that soft bow-tie effects lead in the mode. Also there is new accent in the lowered pointed waistline.

Vogue Turns to Capes

Fashion is very cape-conscious nowadays. The new suits are caped and the latest dresses have cape flares in the back. The long fur cape is a fashion-first and the short fur jacket takes the place of the short fur jacket in many instances.

Program For Ocean Beach Prayer Day Today Announced

Detailed program of the World Day of Prayer to be observed in Ocean Beach today (Friday) was announced today by the committee. Mrs. Arthur A. Henry will preside at the afternoon session to be held in the Ocean Beach Baptist church, corner of Santa Monica and Sunset Cliffs Blvd.

Mrs. Howard Scott will speak on "The Beginnings of the World Day of Prayer." Soloist for the responsive readings will be Mrs. Mary King and Rev. James F. Roberts will sing the solo, "Lorn for Tomorrow and Its Needs." Rev. E. Wm. Mincey will pronounce the benediction.

The evening session, also at the Baptist church, will open at 7:30, with Rev. P. O. Jensen, presiding. Fred Beck will lead in the Lord's prayer, with response by Miss Virginia Davidson.

One feature will be a candle-light service by the World Wide Guild, led by Mrs. Joe Hume Jr. Presentation of fields supported by the offering will be explained by Rev. Jensen. Pictures of the

Philippines and China will be shown by Mrs. Ruth Miller. Wallace Brewer will be the song leader for the evening session and Rev. Roberts for the afternoon. Mrs. DeWitt Fields will be at the piano and Mrs. Frank Webb will be the "teller of parables."

The church also will be open in the forenoon starting at 10 o'clock for individual worshippers who may wish to come in for meditation and prayer.

Besides the Baptist, the churches participating are the Point Loma Methodist, the Elim Assembly of God and Trinity Episcopal.

On the planning committee are Meses. DeWitt Fields, Arthur A. Henry, Ira M. Ward, Loftin Stewart, Howard Scott and Frank Webb. The ushers will be Miss Patricia Henry and Meses. Norma Rife, Gene Swallow and Vernon Gerhardt.

GOVERNOR SIGNS BILL TO BENEFIT SERVICEMEN

Sacramento, Calif.—Governor Warren has signed an urgency bill which amended the Unemployment Insurance Act to correct a technicality which had denied veterans the benefits of the California law so long as they had rights for unemployment allowances under the federal "G.I." law, even though they were taxed on their wages earned after discharge from the Service. Veterans are now in the same position as other civilians and they can preserve their "G.I." rights if it is to their advantage to do so. Veterans cannot draw on their "frozen credits" under the California law if they are eligible under the "G.I." bill. The "frozen credit" provision was placed in the California law in 1941 to give veterans special protection in the event that the federal government did not assume that obligation.

The News Does Job Printing

CALIFORNIA NEEDS 50,000 APPRENTICES IN BUILDING TRADES, SAYS E. NEWTON

California needs 50,000 apprentices in the building trades to prepare for the coming construction boom, E. J. Newton, federal training service division, of the war manpower commission, told members of the Painting & Decorating Employers at the North Park Business club this week. Otto Schmid, organization president, presided.

Here to stimulate interest in the apprentice training program, Newton said that "there are only about 6000 apprentices being trained at this time." He added that surveys indicate that at least 265,000 new homes are needed in California.

Delegates to the recent state convention made reports of the program. e Ralph Sherman, local painting employer, was state president at the conclave.

MYRON INSKO TAKES PART IN MEMORIAL SERVICES IN HONOR OF ED CUSACK

Memorial services for the late Ed Cusack, vice president of the Goodwill Industries, was held last week at the daily chapel in the institution's headquarters at 402 Fifth Ave., it was announced by Dr. Myron Insko, the executive secretary. Cusack, who has been a board member for eight years, and vice-president of the Goodwill for six years died Wednesday, February 7.

Participating in the memorial services in addition to Insko were Dr. J. W. Mahood, executive secretary of the San Diego Methodist Union, and Mac Lean Wilson, president of Goodwill, both of whom were long-time friends of Mr. Cusack.

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Tuesday evening, 7:30, Training for Service.

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Rev. Edward F. Hannon, Pastor
Sunday Masses: 7:00, 8:30, 10:30 and 12 noon.
Week-day Mass at 7:00 a.m.
Hours of Masses on holidays of obligation, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00 and 9:00 a.m.

Trinity Episcopal
Sunset Cliffs at Brighton
Philip S. Harris, Vicar
Sunday—
7:45 a.m.—Holy Eucharist.
10:00 a.m.—Children's Eucharist.
11:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist (first Sunday).
6:30 p.m.—Young People's league.
Monday, 3:30 p.m.—Church school.
Wednesday—
9:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist.
Saturday, 9 a.m.—Church

Bethany Lutheran
Sunset Cliffs Blvd. and Cape May
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Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.
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Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.
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Morning worship 10:45.
Evangelistic service, 7:30.
Wednesday: Prayer and Bible study, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday: Women's Missionary Council, 10:30 a.m.
Friday: Christ's Ambassadors service (young people) 7:30 p.m. Public cordially invited.

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9:45 a.m.—Bible school.
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You will also need a skein or so of wool yarn to finish off the edges of the little garments with crochet or buttonholing. There are patterns to be had of wee sleeveless boleros, suspenders to attach to little skirts, for bonnets of every type and bags tiny or large to carry to kindergarten or school. Older little girls like these bright fancies as well as tots.

Jumper Dresses Now Made in Larger Sizes

For a long time the jumper dress worn with different blouses was regarded as a fashion for the slim and youthful figure. The dress is so practical with the change of blouses it affords, designers decided to turn it out in colors and cuts that would flatter the larger-sized woman. A deftly designed jumper in dark green, navy or brown gabardine with well built-up under-arm treatment and a slenderizing deep V-neckline is available in the better stores in the larger sizes.

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We wonder what George Washington would say of America if he could see it now. What would be his reaction not only to the vast physical changes, but to the strange concepts of government being set forth?

Since Washington's time, as the nation grew larger and our society became more complex, it was inevitable that certain individual rights had to be surrendered in the interests of the common good. But would he not look with alarm at the increasing efforts of government to regulate the lives of the people in almost every detail?

We think George Washington would deplore any legislation which creates regimentation.

In observing the birthday of this great American let us resolve to protect the liberties which he fought to establish and which our brave fighting men of today are staking their lives to preserve.

PACK UP YOUR TROUBLES—

There's something unfathomable about human nature, that makes hardships, little or big, easier to cope with if somebody else packs the same load—or a bigger one. So if the lineup at the grocery counter seems to grow longer by the day; if there's no meat in the market and the whole ration system is getting you down—witness the plight of the British housewife.

Says a cable from London: "Since the coal supply is so limited and many people are living in bomb-damaged houses with leaky roofs and damp walls, the winter of 1944-45 will go down as the hardest to endure within the memory of living Britons. Nevertheless, it is not so cold as the winter a hundred years ago when the River Thames froze over and an ox was roasted on the ice outside the Houses of Parliament."

"This winter the freeze is not so hard; but in any case, no one in England has seen a really decent joint of beef for five years—and even if they did find an ox they would not be able to find the fuel to roast it."

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Maybe Think

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The druggist was giving an errand boy instructions on delivering a prescription to a Mr. Grummack. "Remember, Grummack, rhymes with stomach," he told the youngster. A couple of hours later the boy returned and reported, "I couldn't find Mr. Kelley."

In Wartime, one outstanding virtue emerges. It is no less a virtue in peace, but war makes it a matter of life and death. It is endlessly taught in the Army and the Navy. It should be the first care of parents in the training of their children. It is the indispensable ingredient of success in life. That virtue is dependability.

Teacher: "Now children, a collision is two things coming together unexpectedly. Johnny, give an example."

John (shyly): "Twins."

He: "Have you a book entitled 'Man, the Master of the Home?'"

Salesgirl: "The fiction department is on the other side, sir."

Minister: "Richard, what does your father say before each meal?"

Richard: "Go easy on the butter, kids."

This thing called "righteous indignation" is merely the art of being mad without cursing.

A Swede walked into a saloon and asked for a drink of squirrel whiskey. The bartender said: "I haven't any squirrel whiskey, but have some Old Crow." The Swede said: "I don't want to fly, I just want to yump round a little."

There is entirely too much worrying about unhappy marriages. Nearly all marriages are happy. It's living together afterwards that causes all the trouble.

Nobody ever does his best, that is why we all have so good a chance to do better.

S1c: "What will you do if your CPO comes to you after the war looking for a job?"

S2c: "For three solid hours I'd have him filling out pages and pages of questionnaires. Then I'd glance through them briefly, shake my head and say, 'Sorry, but you don't qualify for a single thing.'"

Keep your temper—nobody else wants it.

Famous Last Words
"Little boy," said an elderly woman to a lad she saw on the street, "does your mother know that you smoke?"

"No," replied the boy, "and I betcha your husband doesn't know you speak to strange men on the street, either."

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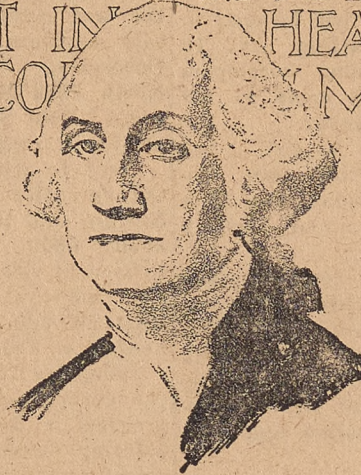
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Superintendent Of Door of Hope Home Transferred North

After serving two years and 10 months as superintendent of the Salvation Army-managed Door of Hope of Ocean Beach, Maj. Clara Flack has been transferred to Portland, George Scott, president, Door of Hope board, announced this week.

At Portland, where she started her women's social service work as a staff member of one of the homes, Maj. Flack will become superintendent of both the White Shield, and Women's Home, operated by the women's social service department of the Salvation Army.

Farewell Tea For Major Flack
A farewell tea in Maj. Flack's honor will be given by Mrs. Allan S. Klauber, president of the Door of Hope Guild at her home this (Friday) afternoon at 3060 Sixth Ave. She will be assisted by Meses. Virgil Wyatt and Fred Mitchell, other Guild officers.

The Door of Hope board will bid farewell to Maj. Flack at their meeting on Feb. 21 at the Home, Scott said, as he lauded "the outstanding work done here by this outstanding officer." Accomplishments completed during her regime included a \$20,000 hospital, new front offices, new laundry and enlargement of the kitchen, in addition to organization of a "competent medical staff," and other improvements. Adj. B. Marlin, a registered nurse-officer, now at the Oakland home, will succeed Major Flack.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS TO HOLD MEETINGS TODAY

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting this Friday evening at the clubhouse at 2160 Bacon street and the Thimble club of the Royal Neighbors will meet for luncheon this Friday noon at 12:30. All members are invited and welcome. The afternoon will be spent in sewing.



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You who have books or games, will you please bring them in as they are really needed for certain patients, also any kind of musical instruments. You know when I ask I have a reason.

This week we are sending a Valentine with each box. Thanks to the ladies who have made the 6x6 inch bags. Many more are needed. All we received were so attractively made.

If you knew what pleasure our cakes and cookies give the sick and wounded in our many hospitals, I know you would all bake these delicacies so that more boys could have a treat. There are so many wounded that it takes a lot of cookies and each week they are given to different wards.

Don't forget about the musical instruments and musical magazines. These also are badly needed. The hours are long in a hospital and the boys are forming an orchestra.

We have an emergency call for a wheel chair for the Naval hospital. Let's see how quick a response we can get to this appeal, which is extremely urgent. Phone Bayview 5639 please.

OCEAN BEACH SCHOOL NEWS

Pupils to Plant Trees

The Ocean Beach school children have been busy for about three weeks making plans for planting trees. We are going to try to plant by Arbor day. The idea was brought up in our assembly. Ever since then the higher grades have been busy in their rooms. We thought we would like trees because of the beauty, shade and many other things.

Each of the higher grades has a special job to do. Mr. Hovde's room is looking up the right tree to plant. Mrs. Storm's room is making up a plan of the playground to find out where we are going to plant the trees. Mrs. Kirby's is going to have charge of a movie to raise money to buy the trees. Miss Knudson's room is in charge of the publicity.

By Arbor day we ought to have some trees on our playground at

Ocean Beach school.—By Claire Whaling, 6th grade.

The sixth grade, room 18, gave the program for the student assembly on Tuesday. They gave a play, "School Bell Fever" that told the story of a little girl who disliked school and how she was cured of her dislike.

The children who took parts were Darlene Flickinger as mother, Donnie Hunter as the doctor, Larry Bailey as 'Dennis', Jackie Babcock as the little girl, Willie van Gessel as the little girl's friend and Claire Whaling did the announcing.

During the past few weeks the third grade in room 10 has been studying Pueblo Indians. They have just completed their house and ladder stairway. Eugene put on the beams and helped "Chuck" with the plastering. Bob Crane, Lewis and Gilbert made the second story and put in the windows. A mural is in process which will depict what the class has discovered about the desert land in which the Pueblo Indians live. Dickie put in the cornfield and spring at the foot of the mesa and is helping Emmett with the yucca plant. In the distance Norma plans to show some ruins of cliff dwellings and a mesa with an Indian village on top. Bob Crane and Charles Markano plan to show in miniature the process of making a pueblo house with adobe bricks. Grace and Lewis are heading a committee to work out patterns for the corn dance. Other groups are working on rugs, katchina dolls, drums, belts and costumes.

PERSONALS.
Mrs. R. W. Kleinstuber, 4859 Lotus St., and two children have returned from a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Jessie Allen of Los Angeles.
Mrs. R. M. Robins of 4975 Del Monte Ave., who was with her husband in South Carolina and Maryland, is now home again, her husband having left for overseas duty.
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hornung of 2269 Ebers St. had as their house guests last week, Mrs. Frank Weidner and daughters, Margaret and Norma, from Gila Bend, Ariz. Mrs. Weidner also visited her son Jack, a cadet in Browns Military Academy in Pacific Beach.
Ens. and Mrs. Duncan Wexler and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wexler, parents of Ensign Wexler of El Cerrito Heights, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Henry of 4681 Lotus St., Friday evening. The young ensign, who is a nephew of Mrs. Henry, has recently married and has had a few days in San Diego with his parents prior to assignment to overseas duty.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Depew of 1054 Devonshire Dr. are the parents of a baby son, born Friday, Feb. 9, at Mercy hospital. He has been given the name of Edward Harold Depew III. Father of the little lad is serving with the U. S. Army in the European theatre of war. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brazell of the same address on Devonshire Dr. and Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Depew I, who reside in the Loma Portal section of Ocean Beach.

Local Church Aims To Raise \$1347 In Crusade For Christ

Point Loma Methodist church has been asked to share to the extent of \$1347 in helping to raise a fund of many millions in the United States this year for the purpose of carrying out an intensive religious campaign which the denomination has designated as a "Crusade for Christ." A committee has been named to contact the members and friends of the local church in order to give them the opportunity to share in this world need, and at the Sunday morning service, to be held Feb. 25, all pledges and cash will be brought to the church, with the plan of raising the entire amount in the one day, announces Rev. J. F. Roberts, the pastor. Explaining the crusade the pastor this week issued the following statement:

"Officially launched by the general conference, of the Methodist church at Kansas City, Mo., on May 3, 1944, the 'Crusade for Christ' is the boldest and most comprehensive program for world redemption and rehabilitation ever laid upon the hearts of the people called Methodists.

"A great people like we Americans at home untouched by bombs or shells, made rich by high incomes and vast production, with schools still open, churches unharmed and cultivated fields unmolested, must squarely face an obligation to do for the world a great unselfish service and demonstrate the sincerity of our profession that we are a Christian nation. There is no better time for such demonstration than now through the 'Crusade for Christ.'

"This four-year, five-pronged crusade is Methodism's answer to such a 'time for greatness' as never before challenged the followers of Christ. It is Methodism seeing itself and seeing the needs of the world and resolved to do something about what it sees.

"It is Methodism on the march. The world mission of the Methodist church in such an era as this requires that we take immediate and decisive steps to re-establish as soon as possible our work in the war-devastated areas of the world.

"The objectives for the next four years are as follows: 1. Relief and Reconstruction; 2. Evangelism; 3. Stewardship; 4. Church school enrollment and attendance.

"Methodism will raise \$25,000,000 in 1945 for Relief and Reconstruction."

Communication

February 14, 1945
Dear Mr. Swan:
I am writing this in appreciation of what Carl Schroder, who is running for City Council, has done, and will do, for Ocean Beach.

It was due to Mr. Schroder's efforts that the police station was not taken away from the Beach, to name just one instance.

With an Ocean Beach resident on the council, one whose aims and ambitions are for the Beach, I feel much could be accomplished. Yours very truly,
Mrs. C. H. Woolley.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SELL

Notice is hereby given that: Janice Pearson, d/b/a, CINDERELLA SHOP, of 4914 Voltaire Street, San Diego, California, intends to sell to the undersigned, ELMER PETERS, as Vendee, of 4634 Green Street, San Diego, California, all that certain property consisting generally of an undivided one-half interest in a stock of beauty parlor supplies and cosmetics, now owned by the said Janice Pearson at 4914 Voltaire Street, San Diego, California.

Said escrow to be consummated on the 24th day of February, 1945, at 10:00 A. M. at the office of Geo. A. Westover, 237 Broadway Building, San Diego 1, California.
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The National Society, Volunteers of America, 1637 Market st. Remember Our Defense Needs—with scrap iron, metal, rags, newspapers. Also household goods, and magazines for service men. Phone M-6535 and truck will call. Lt. Maj. James Jacks, Supt.

WANTED TO BUY—Washing machine. Call B-6588 after 1 p. m. 16-8p

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FOR RENT—One sleeping room. 4783 Cape May. 18p

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Wanted To Rent . . .

WANTED—Furnished or unfurnished house, court or apartment. Service couple with 8-mos-old baby. Ocean Beach references. Reward. Call Main 1967. 'Ems. Buzzelle. 17-8p

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA In and for the County of San Diego No. 124010 Daisy Montoya Sandoval, Plaintiff) vs.) Sam Sandoval, Defendant)

SUMMONS Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, and the Complaint filed in said County of San Diego, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court.

The People of the State of California Send Greeting: To Sam Sandoval, Defendant. YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO appear and answer to a Complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Diego, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint. Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the County of San Diego, State of California, this 7th day of February, 1945.

J. B. McLEES, Clerk. SEAL OF SUPERIOR COURT GEORGE R. BAIRD, 1114 Bank of America Bldg. San Diego 1, California. Attorney. Franklin 8801. Pub. Dates Feb. 16, 23, Mar. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 and April 6.

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**O.E.S. To Have Old
Fashioned Pot-Luck
Supper On Monday**

The family pot-luck supper of Point Loma chapter O.E.S. will take place at 6:30 Monday evening, Feb. 19 at the Masonic hall on Newport Ave. The chairman, Mrs. Jeannette Croft Hendrickson, announces this as a genuine old-fashioned pot-luck to which the members and their families are invited. Those who cannot be contacted by phone please come and bring a hot covered dish.

A regular session of the Chapter will follow the supper with Agnes Driskill, worthy matron, and Walter Kidwell, worthy patron, presiding. There will be balloting on petitions for membership.

Star Club To Meet

Point Loma Star Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Jeannette Croft Hendrickson, 4624 West Point Loma Blvd. on Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, at 12:15 p. m. for pot-luck luncheon. All members and visiting Eastern Stars are invited.—M.A.P.

**Playhouse Nursery
School Proprietor
Marries Saturday**

Mrs. Wilma Murray, proprietor of the Playhouse Nursery School of Ocean Beach, at 4678 Santa Monica Ave., and Kuno H. Kruger, son of Mrs. Marie Kruger of San Diego, were united in marriage Saturday, Feb. 10. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Leland Cook at the Central Christian church in San Diego, at 7 o'clock, with Mrs. Harry M. Wammack, sister of the bride, as matron of honor, and David E. Kruger, a son of the groom, as best man.

For the ceremony, the bride wore a three-piece green gabardine suit with brown accessories and a brown orchid corsage. The matron of honor wore a blue gabardine suit with brown accessories and a corsage of camellias.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Wammack and Miss Ann O'Malley of Glendale, Calif., and Gerald Fair of Lakeside, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Kruger plan to be at home to their friends at 1466 Ebers St. after March 1, and Mrs. Kruger aims to continue with the Playhouse Nursery School.

**TERESA MURPHY HONORED
AT SURPRISE PARTY ON
HER SIXTEENTH BIRTHDAY**

Teresa Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Murphy, was pleasantly surprised Saturday night, February 3, at her home, 3749 Narragansett, the occasion being her sixteenth birthday. The evening was spent playing games and refreshments were served.

Nine of her girl friends were the guests, namely, Adele Kissinger, Barbara Lawrence, Amelia Bruce, Ann Caraway, Nancy Rice, Ruth Monteiro, Lorraine Cardoza, Virginia Davidson and Mary Teresa Koch, the last named from La Mesa.

**MRS. I.J. CLASPILL, HOSTESS
WEDNESDAY, TO MEETING
OF P.E.O. CHAPTER F. W.**

Mrs. I. J. Claspill, 4660 Newport Ave., was hostess to P.E.O. chapter F. W. at her home Wednesday, Feb. 14. Luncheon was served at 1 noon. Mrs. F. B. McElwee, 5075 Niagara Ave., and Mrs. Bird Manning of San Diego were assistant hostesses. Following the business session a Valentine party was held, each guest drawing a gift from a beautiful valentine box and games and social time followed. Mrs. F. F. Swan was a guest.

**KIWANI-ANNES TO MEET
WITH MRS. PLANT FEB. 20**

Mrs. J. O. Plant, president of the group, will be hostess to the Kiwanis-Annies Tuesday evening, Feb. 20 at her home, 4836 W. Point Loma Blvd. and will be assisted by Mrs. Harry Masters and Mrs. Martin Murphy. Dinner is scheduled for 6:30 o'clock. These planning to attend will not need to telephone, but every member who cannot attend is asked to phone Mrs. Plant, Bayview 5943, or one of the other two women on the committee by Monday evening.

**MR. AND MRS. C. W. EARLY
ENTERTAIN AT BRIDGE**

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Early entertained Saturday evening at their home, 4514 Narragansett Ave. with dinner and an evening of contract bridge. Those enjoying the hospitality of the Earlys, were Mr. and Mrs. Q. G. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Larsen. This is the first of a series of "contract bridge-dinner" parties.

**USO TO HAVE WEDDING
AT METHODIST CHURCH
ON SATURDAY EVENING**

The Ocean Beach USO announces a wedding to be held Saturday evening at the Point Loma Methodist church, with Rev. J. F. Roberts to perform the candle-light ceremony at 7 o'clock. Two childhood sweethearts from National City, Tenn., are principals, Miss Frances E. Carothers, who is a house-guest at the Lloyd Gresson home on Newport, and Sgt. Verne C. Berry of the U. S. Marine Corps, a returned veteran from the South Pacific.

Miss Carothers will be given in marriage by her brother, Wm. Carothers of Camp Pendleton, and will be attended by the Gresson twin daughters, Grace and Jacqueline.

Following the ceremony a reception for the couple will be held at the USO rooms on Newport Ave. Mrs. Gresson announces that the senior and junior USO hostesses are invited to both the wedding and the reception.

**Challenge Banquet
Attracts 135 Union
Members Saturday**

The Judson Intermediate Union of the Ocean Beach Baptist church sponsored a "Challenge" banquet at the church last Saturday evening with about 135 "Training Union" members and visitors present.

A picture was awarded the adult union for having the best decorated table. The theme for the table decorations was a hymn or a scripture verse. Honorable mention was given the Y. D. F. group, also the "Willing Workers" union for table decorations.

Poetry, solos and special music, were the main features of the program. A special highlight was a sword drill with the adult union contesting with the Judson union.

Miss Doris Fields won a prize for an original Valentine poem, also special recognition for her poem concerning "My Prayer for Our Servicemen."

The "Willing Workers Union," sponsored by Mrs. P. O. Jensen won the attendance award for being 100 percent present.

The Judson union, with Miss Kathleen Woodall as president, is sponsored by Mrs. Ralph Scott.

**OCEAN BEACH P.T.A. TO
GIVE TEA AND FASHION
SHOW THURSDAY, FEB. 22**

The Ocean Beach P.T.A. will give a silver tea and fashion show Thursday, Feb. 22, in the Ocean Beach Woman's clubhouse, at the corner of Muir and Bacon streets, from 2 until 4 o'clock. Original creations will be modeled by the students of the Vocational school, everything from formals to play suits to be shown. Mrs. Martha Becker will be the commentator. The committee members in charge of this event are Mrs. Eugene O. Freer, Mrs. Donald Muchmore and Mrs. Warren Mead.

"We hope it will be well attended, for it is for the benefit of the P.T.A. and everyone is cordially invited to attend," they announce.

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NEWS NOVELTY

**Talks On Poetry
And Peace Plans
Heard By Women**

A book review by Mrs. Oliver Pierce of Fifth Ave., San Diego, high-lighted a meeting, Monday evening, of the literature group of the Ocean Beach Woman's Club, meeting at the clubhouse. Mrs. Pierce, reviewed the book, "John Brown's Body," by Stephen Vincent Benet and prefaced the review with a summary of the book, "The American Way of Poetry," by Wells.

The club is sponsoring, for a time, a study period of about 20 minutes, at meetings of the literature group, for a discussion of plans for peace as recently promulgated by the Dumbarton Oaks conference. Mrs. Frank F. Swan gave a brief talk on the question, "Shall Peace Plans Be Well Formulated Before the War is Over?", using Sumner Welles' book, "Time for Decision," as a basis for her remarks.

Mrs. W. B. Oster, Mrs. Edith Reich and Mrs. Briggs, of San Diego, pleased the group with musical selections and following the program, Miss Margaret Rankin and Mrs. R. C. Kimball served refreshments featuring the Valentine motif.

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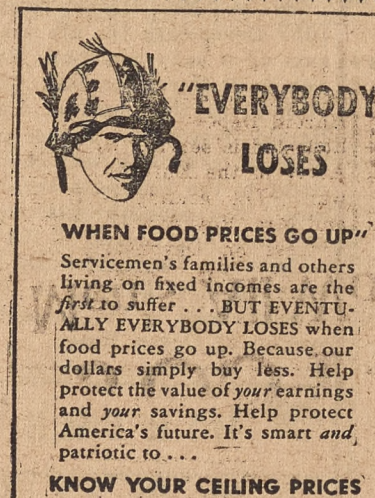
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White King Giant Bar Soap, 3 bars.....14c

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